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The title has been changed to show "JOE RODRIGUEZ MOLINA" as subject's correct name as stated by subject in interview on August 14, 1964; also, to delete "JOE MOLINA," such being only a brief form of his correct name. His correct name previously was carried as "JOSEPH RODRIGUEZ MOLINA which is being retained as an alias.

REFERENCE: Bureau airtels to Dallas dated 7/10/64, 7/13/64, and 8/12/64.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

Ten copies of this report are being furnished the Bureau because this investigation was requested by the President's Commission on the Assassination of President KENNEDY and copies of this report will be disseminated to that Commission.

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Former DL-18-S	134-50A-31
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DL T-2 Mrs. MARGARITA LANDIN (Former DL 7-S, concealed	134-4A-189A
because husband is current, active informant of Dallas Of	fice)
DL T-3	134-1A-356
DL 6-S	134-1A-395
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(WILLIAM J. LOWERY, Jr., 5/11/59)

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(WILLIAM J. LOWERY, Jr., 6/8/59)

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FELIX BOTELLO and JOE LANDIN, during the period of their affiliation with the American GI Forum, were also members of the CP and were in the American GI Forum upon instructions from AUGUSTIN ESTRADA, identified as a leader in the CP in the Dallas and Fort Worth area.

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Following the interview with MOLINA by SA JAMES S. WEIR of the Houston Office, at Dallas, Texas, on 11/23/63, Chief of Police JESSE E. CURRY, Dallas Police Department, advised SA WEIR that MOLINA had caused the Police Department considerable trouble in the past by demanding such things as listing Mexicans as white persons rather than as Mexicans, and generally protesting alleged discrimination against members of the Mexican race.

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